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EDUCATION

Texas A&M University

College of Engineering, Mays Business School

Bachelor of Science in Industrial & Systems Engineering, Minor in Mathematics

Master of Science in Finance

College Station, Texas

May 2026

Cumulative GPA: 3.75/4.00

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Barclays

Incoming Investment Banking Analyst

Houston, Texas

July 2026

CBRE Capital Markets

Debt & Structured Finance Intern

Austin, Texas

May 2025 – August 2025

- Underwrote 40+ multifamily and construction loan opportunities (\$25M–\$75M) using rent rolls, T-12s, concession burn-offs, market data, and other financials to assess property performance and deal viability
- Built investment memos and OM decks in coordination with senior brokers and clients; leveraged Excel, PowerPoint, RealPage, Salesforce, and in-house AI for competitive analysis and deal positioning
- Engaged in lender calls and strategy sessions to gain insight into borrower-lender dynamics and refine bridge loan positioning

University of Texas/Texas A&M Investment Management Company (UTIMCO)

Tactical Asset Allocation Investment Intern

Austin, Texas

May 2024 – July 2024

- Built an iterative Excel model using Bloomberg plug-ins to track U.S. economic growth, integrating probability matrices and fast-moving indicators to inform tactical asset allocation
- Analyzed leverage across fund- and asset-level investments to identify firmwide inefficiencies and optimize borrowing; gained exposure to Real Assets and Public Equity teams through supporting strategic projects

Quanta Services

Financial Analyst Intern

Houston, Texas

May 2023 – August 2023

- Valued five \$1B+ subsidiaries through three-statement models in Excel, guiding regional investment decisions
- Used Capital IQ to research M&A opportunities; crafted and presented strategic insights to VP of Finance

LEADERSHIP & INVOLVEMENT

Titans of Investing

Co-CEO – Class XXXIX

College Station, Texas

January 2025 – May 2025

- Selected for a highly competitive program focused on ethical leadership, global finance, and long-term investing
- Led and supported 24 peers in and out of class, managing logistics and driving vision for group culture
- Strengthened understanding of macroeconomics and global trends through weekly discussions on financial theory

Aggie Men's Club (AMC)

Executive Council

College Station, Texas

April 2023 – April 2025

- Organized 20+ events for 200+ members, including formals, date parties, and academic support programs
- Created Brotherhood Chair role to improve fellowship and launched shared drive with 10+ years of resources camaraderie

Texas A&M Foundation Maroon Coats

Maroon Coat – Class XVIII

College Station, Texas

February 2025 – Present

- Chosen to serve as an ambassador for Texas A&M, representing top student leadership to alumni and university
- Illustrated the profound impact of the Aggie story by providing campus-wide tours to donors and prospective students

Aggie Venture Fund

Incoming Venture Fellow

College Station, Texas

August 2025 – Present

- Selected to join Texas A&M's student-led venture capital fund focused on sourcing, due diligence, and investing in early-stage startups alongside alumni advisors and VCs

SKILLS, ACTIVITIES & INTERESTS

Technical Skills: Java, Python, Visual Basics, Microsoft Office Suite, Capital IQ

Certifications & Training: Wall Street Prep Excel, Wall Street Prep PowerPoint, CFA Investment Foundations

Awards: Stratford High School Valedictorian, 2024 ISEN Student Achievement Award

Activities: Horizons Consulting, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Abbott Family Leadership, Fish Camp, Fish Aides, Central Church

Interests: Board Games, Frisbee, Biking, Running, Dancing, Jazz, College Football, Philosophy, Theology, Public Policy